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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 I hereby certify that the above correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office on January 15, 2009.

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant(s) respectfully petitions the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response in the above-identified Application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

One Month

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Four Months

(\$1,730)

Two Months

(\$490)

Five Months

(\$2,350)

Three Months

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Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Charge any and all fees to the deposit account of Texas Instruments Incorporated, Account No. 20-0668.

Respectfully submitted.

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